(c) whether all other documents regarding Jawahar Lal Nehru are preserved in this Library; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir. This is one of its objectives.

(b) More than one hundred letters exchanged between Lady Mountbatten and Jawaharlal Nehru, which were acquired by the Museum & Library in 1990 are available in the Manuscript Division. In deference to the wishes of the donor these are not open t consultation, therefore it can not be said whether these are identical to the letters mentioned in the said biography.

(c) The Museum & Library seeks to collect and preserve all documents relating to Jawaharalal Nehru and other distinguished figures of Modern India.

(d) Does not arise.

Social Welfare Advisory Board, Orrisa

4289. DR. KARTIKESWAR PATRA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that the State Social Welfare Advisory Board in Orissa had been superseded;

(b) if so, the reason thereof;

(c) whether the Central Social Welfare Board is implementing the Schemes without the recommendations of the State Social Welfare Advisory Board; and

(d) the steps taken/proposed to be taken to revive the State Board and make it operational?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Government of Orissa had superseded the Orissa State Social Welfare Advisory Board with effect from 23rd April, 1990 without approval of the Central Social Welfare Board and without giving any reasons. Upon this order being set aside by the Hon'ble High Court of Orissa, the State Government handed over the charge to the unseated Chairman but on 26th December, 1990 suspended the State Board on ground of serious irregularities, mismanagement and misutilisatin of public funds.

(c) The State Government has appointed Director Social Welfare, Government of Orrisa as Administrator of the Board and the Schemes are approved by the Central Social Welfare Board on the basis of his recommendations.

(d) Chairman, Central Social Welfare Board has brought this matter to the attention of the State Government and requested them to re-appoint Smt. Sabitri Chaudhry as Chairperson so that she can complete her term which expires on 8.6.1992.

Advertisement of Infant Foods

4290. DR. RAVI MALLU: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whethr the Government have banned advertisements of infant Foods in the media; and

(b) if so, the the action taken by the Government aginst those who violated it during the last one year;

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) No, sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Sale of Banned Drugs

4291. DR. G.L. KANAUJIA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether many multinational drug manufacturing companies in India are selling such drugs in the market which are banned in U.S.A. and in some other European countries;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the reasons for not banning these drugs in India?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D.K. THARA DEVI SIDDHARTHA): (a) to (c). As per information available, the drugs, namely, 'Phenformin' (an anti-liabetic drug) and 'Analgin' (an analgesic-antipyretic) reported to be prohibited for sale in the United States continue to be marketed in many Eruopean countreis as well as developing countries including India. The popular brands of these drugs are marketed by M/s. U.s. Vitamin and M/s. Cadilla; M/s. Hoechst and M/s. Indian Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Ltd. respectively.

The Government have permitted continued marketing of the above drugs in consultation with medical experts and expert bodies like ICMR on the ground of overall favourable benefit-risk ratio.

Recognition to Post Graduate diploma in Hindi Journalism

4291-A SHRI RAJENDRA AGNIHOTRI:
SHRI HARIKEWAL PRASAD:
SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL:
SHRI PHOOL CHAND VERMA:
SHRI B.L. SHARMA 'PREM':

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have not recognised the Post-graduate Diploma in Hindi Journalism introduced in the year 1987-88 by the Indian Mass Communication Institute, Delhi;

(b) if so, the reaosn therefor; and

(c) whether the Government propose to take a decision in this regard at the earliest?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) to (c). The matter is under active consideration of the Government of India.

MR. SPEAKER: Mr. Nagina Mishra.

(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: I will hear you one after another.

SHRI MANORAJAN BHAKTA (Andaman & Nicobar): Sir, the Academy of Motion Pictures of New York has announced a special Oscar Award for Shri Satyajit Ray. I think no section in this House would oppose the idea of praising Mr. Satyajit Ray. From your side, you can kindly say a few words of praise as he has brought honour to this country. I request the House, through you, to congratulate him.

SHRIMATI MALINI BHATTACHARYA (Jadavpur): Sir, the announcement of the Academy of Motion Pictures of New York that a special Oscar Award has been awarded to Mr. Satyajit Ray is a matter of pride and honour for all of us. So far, only six film